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WASHINGTONVILLE

Bright, Breezy Paragraphs Telling The Happenings in the Village on Mahoning's Southern Border.

By Peter M. Herold

"Can you tell where the nest of the oriole swings, Or what color its eggs may be? Do you know the time when the squirrel brings Its young from the nest in the tree? Can you tell when the chestnuts are ready to drop, Or where the best hazelnuts grow? Can you climb a tree to the very tip-top, Then gaze without trembling below?"

School begins September 1. Harvest Home picnic at Shelton's Grove Saturday.

John W. Postage was home from Washington, Pa., Friday.

The country roads are again bedecked with golden rod.

The never-falling elderberry crops being gathered and put away for winter.

Harley Roller has quit as Y. & O. ticket agent at Leetonia and is now moving east.

Frank Small and wife of Cleveland were week end guests of J. E. Gilbert's family.

Mrs. C. R. Taylor and children of Youngstown spent a day last week with relatives here.

Geo. Frederick and wife (nee Anna Simpson) of Sebring spent Sunday here with her parents.

Three wheeled motorcycles with seats for two side by side pass through town every week.

Will Thomas and wife (nee Vignon) of Youngstown were here with relatives Saturday and Sunday.

A third son came to the home of Frank Spear and wife Friday evening, and he weighs ten pounds.

The soil gathered along Main street last week was hauled to help grade the Frederick lot west of the post office.

The much needed rain came last Saturday, and another Sunday, which has been growing crops and benefit meadows.

Thomas Lodge died of heart trouble at his home 3 1/2 miles south of Leetonia last Thursday evening, aged 70 years.

The old handcar for railroad trackmen has been succeeded by cars propelled by gasoline, answering a better purpose.

The Leetonia Reporter has been moved into commodious quarters of its own, where Bro. Arnold will feel more at home.

Samuel Beaver, sent to O. P. from Columbiana county, for 15 years for manslaughter, has been paroled, effective Sept. 15.

The U. S. bureau of fisheries will start this fall stocking the streams throughout this congressional district with black bass and other fish.

T. O. Rhodes and a gentleman friend of Pittsburgh came here in an auto Friday afternoon and called to see his sister, Mrs. J. E. Eyster.

"Strasbourg," owned and driven by Jacob Deemer of Salem, won first place in the 2:20 trot at Petersburg races last Thursday, making it in 2:19 1/4.

Wm. Dalrymple returned from Columbus with little hopes of his aspiration to be appointed on the county health license commission being realized.

After much persuasion and no little abuse, Main street has been nicely cleaned up the past week. The entire village needs to be similarly treated.

The Methodist graveyard of this village having been abandoned, there is talk of turning it over to the Green township trustees to fence in without a gate and to clean up.

Prof. A. B. Pond, principal of the Leetonia schools, has resigned. His successor will likely be a woman, for they can't hold men for longer than two years at the price paid.

Joe Boule and wife of Leetonia are in the Lisbon Jail under \$5,000 bond charged with murdering Louis Perle at their home last week Monday.

Their two-year old daughter is a ward of the county and will be furnished a home in St. Ann's orphanage in Cleveland.

They are building a \$60,000 school house in Carrollton, on the ground occupied by the old one. Last year the churches were used for school rooms, but this year they refuse to let them again. So Dick Albright's tabernacle is being fitted up for school purposes at a cost to the board of \$600.

Everybody now appreciates the uses of our town hall. The committee has been authorized to have it papered and painted inside; and this should be done before cold weather. A little more roof should also be added to the eastern gable and the whole outside should be painted while they are at it.

The Mollie family reunion and French picnic held in Prosper Mollie's grove west of town last Saturday was fairly well attended by French people from this vicinity and Mahoning county. Tables were spread in the woods near a running brook; a ball game was played in a field near the road and a keg race was held in a cool shady spot not far away. All appeared to enjoy the day's festivities. A family reunion, however, without a hundred or more years of continuous history resolves itself into a mere day of pleasure and dies like a tale that is told. French people were the main settlers here, as were the Germans and Pennsylvania Dutch. The early French settlers came down through Canada and located in what is now known as the "Louisiana Purchase," west of the Mississippi river and along the great lakes. Stark county has more French settlements than either Columbiana or Mahoning; so that those who attended last Saturday's festivities were of more recent immigration. French people, like the Germans and other parts of continental Europe, aside from the nobility, own small farms and well tilled; as a rule are healthy, prosperous and enjoy the life that now is.

Joshua Allen is visiting relatives at Rockyford, Colorado.

George Atkinson and family of Steubenville are here with relatives.

Posters about town announce the big Canfield Fair, September 8, 10, 11 and 12.

The colored people of Salem and Lisbon picniced at Shelton's grove last week Wednesday.

Misses Epha and Kit Wilson are on a week's outing at Detroit and other places along the lake.

Roy Roller of Youngstown is spending his vacation with his grandparents, Wm. Boston and wife.

Mothers, keep your children off the streets after dark, for Harry K. Thaw has broken out of the "bug house."

Layton Delator and wife (nee Laura Smedley) of Rochester, Pa., visited her parents here this week.

Three classes of the Methodist Sunday school will picnic in Abraham Zimmerman's grove Saturday, August 30.

Clifford Paisley and his friend, O. S. Stowe, of Youngstown are here with a kodak on a two weeks' vacation.

Parts of the Smith family in Leetonia and the Thorp family in this village are camping in Madison township.

Mrs. C. H. Weikart entertained the Ladies' Home Sewing Circle Friday night. Mrs. Samuel Rohrer won the honors.

Meat is becoming scarcer and higher every year and the removal of the duty on all meats is an economic necessity.

Albert Graham of Cleveland and Charlie Senheiser of New Castle spent Sunday at the home of Chas. DeJans and wife.

Some of the cats about town are said to have whooping cough, but it is more likely to be some form of distemper.

There is a fierce drought in several corn states which will interfere with the crop, and corn prices are firmer in consequence.

The interstate commerce commission has ordered a reduction of 10 to 60 per cent in express rates to take effect October 15.

J. C. Kirk and wife of Youngstown and Miss Ruth Temple of Garrettsville were Sunday guests of J. L. Fitzpatrick and wife.

G. S. Woods and sister Carrie spent Sunday with relatives in Alliance; and their brother, Wm. A. Woods spent Sunday in East Palestine.

Orla Warner and wife and Jesse McNeal of Salem and Frank Gilmore and wife of Lisbon spent Sunday at the home of Harry McNeal and wife.

Harry McNeal, county infirmary farm yielded 1,469 bushels of oats and 16 bushels of timothy seed this year. The corn and potato crop also promised to be big.

A festival will be held on the street leading to the M. E. Church Saturday evening for the benefit of J. D. Williams' state cream dairy watermelon, etc., will be served. The cause is worthy of a liberal patronage.

Ralph Townsend, 14, of Elkrun township, and Royal Fidler, 15, of Butler township are the two Columbiana county boys selected at Lisbon Saturday forenoon to get free trips to the Ohio state fair in September.

Word reached relatives here Friday from Pittsburgh, Kansas, announcing the death of Mrs. Mary A. Williams in Joplin, Mo. This lady was a former resident of this place, was a good citizen and an enjoyable conversationalist.

Zion Lutheran church south of town, one of the appointments of Rev. L. V. Gross, rendered an interesting children's day program Sunday night. There was a large attendance, some of the visitors being from Cuba who were home on a summer's vacation.

Methodist Episcopal ministers from the northeast part of Ohio will gather in the First church at Canton on September 23 for the session of the Ohio conference, which will continue for 8 days. The conference is the biggest in Methodism and about 600 ministers are expected to attend. Besides the ministers there will be 150 laymen, who will hold their sessions September 26-27 in Simpson's Methodist Episcopal church. Bishop W. F. Anderson will preside at the sessions.

Taking the teachers' examination under special law, Mary Hanna and Elsie Strausbaugh, Jewett high school graduates, had their papers graded by the state superintendent, and each received a certificate for 4 years. When they have successfully taught for two years they will be making further application to the state superintendent, receive life certificates without further examination. As far as is known they are the only eastern Ohio teachers who have availed themselves of this law.

Wm. Dalrymple, 21, son of Wm. Dalrymple and wife of Washingtonville and Miss Beatrice Olene Messerly, 20, of Youngstown, were united in marriage Monday afternoon. Of the event Tuesday's Indicator said: "Miss Beatrice Messerly and Allen T. Dalrymple were united in marriage Monday afternoon at two o'clock by Rev. J. F. Ellis in the Epworth Methodist parsonage. The bride is a daughter of Mrs. George Austin; Mr. Dalrymple is a son of Mr. and Mrs. William Dalrymple. Both young people have a wide acquaintance and many good friends. Mr. and Mrs. Dalrymple will spend post-nuptial days in Michigan and upon their return will take possession of a new house in West Woodland avenue."

Miss S. Rebecca Gilbert, 21, and Carl A. Weikart, 22, accompanied by Rev. L. W. Gross of the Lutheran church, went to Youngstown last Friday, procured the necessary documents and were united in marriage in the private office of the probate judge. The bride has been a popular teacher here for a few years, is a daughter of our hardware merchant, J. E. Gilbert and wife, and is highly respected by all who know her. Mr. Weikart is a son of David Weikart and wife, an employee of the Great Central Machine Co. at Leetonia, and is well thought of by everybody. Following the marriage ceremony the young and happy couple left upon a short bridal tour. Both have been raised to habits of industry, and have the confidence and respect of the community whose best wishes go with them.

Mrs. Ann Platt was a Salem shopper Tuesday.

Harvest Home picnic at Shelton's Grove Saturday.

A letter intended for this column failed to reach the publication office Thursday morning, hence the absence of many interesting news items.

Mrs. John Black and her aunt, Mrs. Alice Eyster, are on a week's pleasure trip to Cleveland, Detroit, Belle Isle, Cedar Point and other lake resorts.

How long will it be before the board of education gets hold of enough money to grade the school grounds and hide the old brick and yellow clay?

Whenever the village officials run out of their legitimate business, some one pays a visit of inspection to the land of Bowman, near the Erie depot and asks a few impertinent questions.

The law requiring a license to carry a rifle or shotgun does not extend to carrying pistols or revolvers. A few arrests have already been made in Salem and Lisbon for "gun toting" concealed.

They must go—men's 50c dress shirts, sizes only 14, 14 1/2, 16 1/2, and 17, for 25c each. Only a limited quantity. So don't delay and be disappointed. See west window at C. E. Holt's.—Adv.

Every township and town office is to be voted for this fall: Three members of the board of education, six members of the council, clerk, treasurer, marshal and mayor. But nobody seems to care.

John and William Lipplitt left Monday for Firestone, Colo., having received word of the death of their brother Gerald, who was shot. They will learn the cause of his death and return with the body.

Dan W. Davis, a freight conductor on the Youngstown & Southern, was here Tuesday seeing his former associates. His parents have moved from North Lima to Columbiana where his father is employed in the rubber works.

A band of gypsies passed through town Monday telling fortunes; shortly after they were followed by a number of Boy Scouts in a covered wagon lettered "From New York to San Francisco," but the wagon was headed eastward.

Persons on Main street who burn old lumber with nails in it should not empty their ashes upon the street to puncture tires, as it is made indictable under special statute to put anything upon the highway that will puncture tires.

St. Clairsville voted twice against a bond issue of \$60,000 to build a school house, but a few days ago voted a third time and approved by a majority of 49. Carrollville is also building a \$60,000 school. So we are not the only pebble on the beach.

The following members of the gun club made this record Tuesday evening: Sam. Atkinson, 10; Harley Woods, 13; Edwin Johnson, 16; Chas. Kohler, 12; Elmer Intermill, 21. Some members of the club will soon be ready to be written up for the sporting journals.

Readers of The Mahoning Dispatch will be pleased to know that its editor, C. C. Fowler, has been made postmaster at Canfield. In the language of my friend, Senator Pomerene, "He will extend 'congratulations.' And by the way, this office is no empty honor, being one of the best in Mahoning county."

John Brady, sr., one of the oldest citizens of Washingtonville, died at his home on Main street Sunday forenoon, after a few days' ailment with heart failure, having passed his 81st birthday anniversary March 20. Funeral services were held in St. Patrick's Catholic church, Leetonia, at 10 o'clock Wednesday forenoon conducted by his pastor, Rev. D. B. Kirby, followed by interment in Mt. Calvary cemetery. Requiescat in pace. Mr. Brady was born March 20, 1832, in county Cavan, province of Ulster, Ireland, and came from Scotland to America in 1852. He mined coal in his younger years and moved to Washingtonville in 1869. He was a stout man of powerful physique and was never troubled with sickness of any kind. He is survived by two sons, Michael P. and John, Jr., at home, five daughters, Cass A. Pittsburgh, Mrs. Martin and Mrs. Deane in Leetonia, Annie and Birdie at home, and one brother in Pennsylvania. The funeral was largely attended by relatives and friends.

MARQUIS

Aug. 20—Henry Hollabaugh, who was sick for some time, is able to ride a short distance.

Lee Miller and family attended the Toot family reunion in Canfield Saturday.

Noah Rothgeb and wife of New Egypt were here Monday.

Mrs. Frank Rhodes and son Guy of Greenford were callers here Sunday.

Ralph and Orlin Dressel of Greenford were recent visitors at the homes of W. D. Shirey and Curt Fishel.

Clayton Renkenberger of New Buffalo did thrashing on the Beard farm one day last week.

Noah Loveland was in Salem Wednesday of last week.

Dr. Hulin of Greenford was here Tuesday.

Rev. L. E. Hoskin of Hiram was the guest of Coy brothers over Sunday.

Dr. Parshal was here from Canfield Monday.

Fred Gee, wife and baby of Calla were Sunday visitors of Ensign Shirey and family who live north of here.

Louis Hofmann and wife entertained relatives from Greenford Sunday.

Edward Zimmerman of New Albany and Oscar Toot of Hickory, with their families passed through here Saturday on their way home from the Toot family reunion in Canfield.

Perry Esterly and wife of Calla spent Monday at Amos Loveland's.

Up Against It.

Gabe—Speeder has broken all automobile records around here, but he broke his neck today.

Gabe—He tried to break the broad jump record with his car.

FALL FASHIONS



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NORTH LIMA

Aug. 20—Rev. Charles Grant of Chicago was the guest of his friend, Richard Gerberding, Sunday and Monday and preached in the Lutheran church Sunday morning.

Miss Evelyn Hoffman of Allentown Pa. is visiting her sister, Mrs. L. J. Rohrbach, and family.

Mrs. Nelson Metzner and baby visited New Springfield relatives Sunday.

Miss Elmira Clay of Calla and Bert Clay of Gettysburg were Sunday visitors of Jesse Clay and wife.

C. J. Hexamer of Canton spent Sunday with J. H. Metzner. Mrs. Hexamer and children accompanied him home Sunday evening.

Mrs. Elmer Glenn is spending a week with her daughter in Youngstown.

Frank Ramsey and daughter Elsie of Canfield visited at N. H. Metzner's Sunday.

Ethel Stiller of Leetonia and John Todd and family of Pleasant Valley were visitors at Mrs. Stiller's the first of the week.

Ed. Wentz of New Waterford called on old friends here one day last week.

Misses Margaret and Mildred Elser spent several days last week with Jessop and family in Youngstown.

Henry Glenn is spending several weeks' vacation in Cleveland.

It was erroneously stated in last week's correspondence that the Sunday schools of Beaver township would hold a picnic in Stafford's Grove Aug. 20. The picnic is to be on that date but is not under auspices of the Sunday school, being a Beaver township affair. All are invited.

Chas. Kurtz and wife and Andrew Black and wife of Youngstown were Sunday guests at Sol. Metzner's.

Rev. H. G. Tovey and family of the Evangelical church are moving to Toledo. Rev. Tovey does not expect to accept charge of the coming year as he wishes to further educate himself for the ministry. Mrs. Tovey and children left last Thursday and the Reverend will follow the fore part of next week. The best wishes of many friends go with them to their new home.

Prof. Roy Thomas of Mt. Union has been elected by the board of education to serve as superintendent of the North Lima school the coming year. Prof. Thomas is a graduate of Wooster university, class of 1912, has had some experience in teaching and comes to us highly recommended as an instructor. The schools open Tuesday, Sept. 2.

Rev. Tovey attended camp-meeting at West Salem last week.

Mr. and Mrs. Raymond Todd were Sunday guests of friends at Pleasant Grove.

Mrs. B. Shale and Mrs. D. Hadley of Youngstown and Mrs. Eph. Hadley of Pennsylvania spent Tuesday with Mrs. Jacob Elser.

PROSPECT HILL

Aug. 20—The thirty-second Bowman family reunion was held on the Bowman Reunion grounds, 2 1/2 miles south of Ellsworth, Thursday, August 14. Relatives and friends to the number of 375 assembled to commemorate the day.

At noon a sumptuous repast was served in the dining hall, after which a pleasing program was rendered.

Rev. M. G. Jerrow of Ellsworth, Prof. L. O. Hulin of Youngstown and Rev. E. Pugh of Canfield were the speakers. Excellent music was furnished by a string quartet. Relatives were present from Pennsylvania, Kentucky and California. A pleasant time was had by all present. All departed for their homes hoping to meet again next year. The officers for the ensuing year are: President, C. C. Bowman; treasurer, M. E. Bowman; secretary, S. O. Manchester.

Frank Shaffer of Springfield called on Wm. Barnett Sunday.

Mrs. Margaret Bowman, who had a light stroke of paralysis three weeks ago, remains about the same.

Alvin Stentz and family of Uniontown, Pa., visited relatives here Friday and Saturday.

Miss Twila Huffman spent Sunday at her home near Concord.

Mr. and Mrs. Henry Sethman of Mogadore are here visiting relatives and friends.

Miss Katherine Barnett is visiting in Green.

David Nez and wife of Scottsdale, Pa. are visiting Clyde Bowman and wife.

Chas. Arnott had business in Salem Friday.

Richard Bingham returned home Sunday from Peach Hill.

A dumb water can't talk, but neither, for that matter, can a speaking tube.

BERLIN CENTER

Aug. 20—Mrs. F. Bowers and children are visiting her parents.

Miss Nellie Williams of Niles is visiting her aunt, Mrs. Guy Slough.

Wilbur Galbreath entertained company from Atwater last week.

Howard Woolf, Bert Durr and Mitch Gunder enjoyed an auto ride to Youngstown Monday.

Dr. and Mrs. Gudegal entertained several physicians and their wives from Cleveland last week, they being classmates of the doctor while attending school.

The Cover reunion was held Saturday, Aug. 18, at the home of Clara Cover. Covers large and small gathered together and at noon a bountiful dinner was spread on the lawn to which all did justice. In the afternoon a pleasant surprise awaited them. Claude Cover took unto himself a wife, the young lady being Miss Mary Hyatt and Rev. Miller made them one in the presence of the assembled guests. They were attended by Miss Bertha Galbreath and Earl Beardsley. We extend congratulations.

Mr. and Mrs. Bert Carrier of Youngstown motored to Berlin Sunday and spent the day with Mr. and Mrs. Bert Durr.

Considerable excitement existed in the village for two weeks because of a strange being going about the neighborhood nights, stealing all kinds of garden eatables, digging people's potatoes and so on. Not much attention was paid till the young man got to watching people leave home and then going into cellars and taking bread, butter and canned fruits. Then the village got stirred and Monday morning complaint was made to Sheriff Umstead. With two deputies he came here and about twenty brave Berlin men went to the woods of B. T. Stanley, where the man was hiding and a lively chase was had. After shooting once to scare him, and all running as after a rabbit in winter they succeeded in running him down. He said he was an orphan 28 years old and had lived in Canal Dover. Sheriff Umstead hustled him off to Youngstown and Berlin residents once more breathe easier.

Friends of Miss Zella Butler are sorry to hear she is in the Youngstown hospital suffering with appendicitis.

NEW BUFFALO

Aug. 20—Miss Mary Swank visited in Canfield Saturday and Sunday.

John Elser, wife and daughter Beatrice spent Sunday at Frank Geiger's in New Springfield.

Bruner Austin, wife and brother Howard of Cleveland visited last week with Mrs. Emma Beard returning home Sunday accompanied by Miss Laetue Frederick who will resume her duties at the Lakeside hospital, having spent her vacation at home.

Among the visitors at Will Hixson's Sunday were Jacob Mills and family of Austintown.

Arthur Hixson and family and I. N. Hixson and family and Frank Claiborn and family, H. C. Heintzelman and wife, Alvin Thoman and wife and G. O. Mard and wife motored to Salem Sunday to spend the day.

Fred Sprinkle and family of Woodworth and Charles Davis and family of Youngstown visited at Alvin Thoman's Sunday.

E. G. Moff spent Saturday and Sunday in Youngstown.

The Heckman and Chubb family reunion will be held at Southern park Saturday, Aug. 23.

Adolph Meeker and wife were in Youngstown Saturday.

The Lutheran Sunday school will hold their picnic at Southern park Tuesday, Aug. 26.

NASBY CORNERS

August 20—Fine corn weather, this. Mr. and Mrs. Clara Johnson, residing near the Boyer school house, recently visited at Henry Painter's.

Walter Boyer and wife spent Sunday evening at Mr. Painter's.

Mrs. Archy Culp of Youngstown spent last Thursday at Michael Bixler's.

Miss Bertha Schaeffer spent Sunday with Miss Ada Feicht.

Henry Culp and wife visited at Samuel Culp's Sunday evening.

Michael Bixler and family spent Sunday night at Christ Weaver's.

Mrs. Archy Culp, Mrs. Michael Bixler and daughter Florence visited Monday with Mrs. Allen Culp.

Harley Schaeffer and lady friend attended church at Locust Grove last Sunday.

More rain is needed in this locality. Cider mills will soon be getting into action.

The self-made man should never forget to make himself agreeable.

YOUNGSTOWN

PARAGRAPHS

Weeks Doing Recorded by a Correspondent Who Knows How to Put On the Frills.

August 21—While politics has been strenuously prevalent the past week, when some candidates for salubriousness commissioner were called everything almost but murderers, the coming Canfield fair has been a topic very much uppermost in certain sections, especially in and about the court house and party headquarters.

The chances are the fair will be largely like a grand convocation or outside overflow of politicians and candidates, and hence will draw very largely from Youngstown, for Youngstown has a monopoly of aspirants and nominees for official jobs. And of course there'll be a lot of members of the bar in attendance. Judge W. S. Anderson is sure to be on the old stamping-ground where he spent many a happy hour with Servin, Van Hyning, Monroe, Johnston, I. A. Justice, A. F. Moore, Uncle Billy Dawson, Hon. L. W. King, may be Glidden, Pease, Burrows, Hon. E. B. Taylor, D. M. Wilson, George Ward, W. G. (Rory) Moore, Hon. L. D. Woodworth, Hon. D. Thoman, old Court Officer Platt, Wm. Callahan and his father, Nathaniel or Nathan, the sheriff—all called him Nate—Hon. Hugh Manchester and many others, the most of them, alas, with the innumerable silent majority or multitude. M. H. Burky should be there, for he be believed was once chief executive of the village, the then capital of the county. W. W. Brownlee of Coitsville could not miss the attraction. S. D. L. Jackson is certain to be unable to resist the temptation. Promoter John H. Ruhlmann and Hon. A. W. Jones are very likely to line up with the leading line and show of the community. Of course Prosecutor Henderson, Judge Barnum and Sheriff Umstead will be among the conspicuous. Hon. James Kennedy and ex-Judge James Kennedy are likely to lend their presence. Joseph W. Wess wouldn't miss it for \$1,000 and Wm. E. Lewis, Progressive candidate for auditor